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RECIPIENT FOR : **Chief, Development Branch, DPD-ID/P**

SUBJECT : **Briefing of Navy Personnel
(Project OXANT)**

1. On 14 December 1959 the undersigned in the company of
Majors. Parangody and [redacted] attended a conference in the office
of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Material) in order to
afford OXANT briefings.

2. Secretary Cecil Hiles, Admirals Strong, Burdick, Olson
and Roth were afforded a formal OXANT briefing and executed the
appropriate documents. Also in attendance at the conference and
previously cleared and briefed were Admirals Gabreski, Frost and
Conrad and Captain Schmid.

3. Secretary Hiles raised several questions regarding why
he was being brought into the program. After reasonable explanations
by Mr. Parangody and the undersigned, no further questions were
raised.

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